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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of)
Tomotaka Yokoyama et al.)
Serial No.: 10/761,771)
Filed: January 20, 2004)
For: Management Technique Of Friction)
Coefficient Based On Surface Roughness,)
Substrate For An Information Recording)
Medium, Information Recording Medium)
And Manufacturing Method Thereof)
Art Unit: 1773)
Examiner: Leszek B. Kiliman)

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AMENDMENT B

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 15, 2005, a three month extension of time being submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: